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CITY COUNCIL MEETING NAMING OF PARK ON SIERRA VISTA AVENUE

August 29, 2007

As you may be aware, the City has been working closely with your neighbors to develop a new park on the City-owned land at 859 Sierra Vista Avenue. The Mountain View City Council will select a name for the mini-park at its regularly scheduled meeting on September 11, 2007, commencing at 6:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers, City Hall, 500 Castro Street, Mountain View.

On March 14, 2007, the Parks and Recreation Commission recommended two names for the new park: Sierra Vista Park and Plymouth Park. The City Council Policy for Naming of City Parks and Recreation Facilities is attached.

If you are unable to attend the meeting, you may send written comments and/or suggestions to:

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Attention: Naming of Park on Sierra Vista Avenue
or by e-mail to: hkim@mountainview.gov

If you have questions or need further information, please contact me at (650) 903-6311.

Sincerely,

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Project Manager

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cc: City Council

Parks and Recreation Commission

CSD, PWD, APWD(A), POSM, PS—Arriaga, DE, ACE—Chen, CPE, PM—Kim,
File 07-39

City Council Policy for Naming of City Parks and Recreation Facilities*

7. The naming of City parks and recreation facilities shall be governed by the following criteria and procedures:
 - a. When a new park or recreation facility is constructed in the City, the Parks and Recreation Commission will submit to the City Council at least two names for consideration.
 - b. The City Council will evaluate the merit of each suggested park or recreational facility name according to the criteria listed in the following paragraphs. The City Council shall be responsible for the final approval of the name for all City parks and recreational facilities.
 - c. The following criteria shall be used in determining park or recreational facility names to be submitted by the City Council.
 - A City park or recreational facility may be named for the school on which it is located or street it is adjacent to.
 - City parks or recreation facilities may be named for a local landmark or historical figure.
 - d. Other park or recreation facility names will be considered only if one of the above criteria does not provide a name suitable for a park or recreation facility.

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* Excerpt from City Council Policy K-12, "Memorial Activities at City Facilities and Naming of City Facilities," Revised January 13, 1998, Resolution No. 16200.